House File 2149 - Introduced

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BY COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY

(SUCCESSOR TO HF 2026)

A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act relating to modifying the sex offender registry
- 2 requirements.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

H.F. 2149

- 1 Section 1. Section 692A.128, subsection 1, Code 2016, is
- 2 amended to read as follows:
- 3 1. A sex offender who is on probation, parole, work release,
- 4 special sentence, or any other type of conditional release may
- 5 file an application in district court seeking to modify the
- 6 registration requirements under this chapter.
- 7 Sec. 2. Section 692A.128, subsection 2, unnumbered
- 8 paragraph 1, Code 2016, is amended to read as follows:
- 9 An application shall not be granted unless all of the
- 10 following apply applicable conditions have been met:
- 11 Sec. 3. Section 692A.128, subsection 2, paragraph e, Code
- 12 2016, is amended to read as follows:
- 13 e. The If the sex offender is on probation, parole, work
- 14 release, special sentence, or any other type of conditional
- 15 release, the director of the judicial district department
- 16 of correctional services supervising the sex offender, or
- 17 the director's designee, stipulates to the modification,
- 18 and a certified copy of the stipulation is attached to the
- 19 application.
- 20 EXPLANATION
- 21 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with 22 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.
- 23 This bill relates to the modification of the sex offender
- 24 registry requirements.
- 25 The bill specifies that any sex offender may file an
- 26 application to modify the registration requirements and strikes
- 27 a provision specifying that only a sex offender on probation,
- 28 parole, work release, special sentence, or any other type of
- 29 conditional release may file such an application.
- 30 The bill continues to require that the director of the
- 31 judicial district department of correctional services or the
- 32 director's designee must stipulate to such a modification if
- 33 the sex offender is on probation, parole, work release, special
- 34 sentence, or any other type of conditional release.